GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Registration & Stamps Department – Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavala, Srikakulam District (now retired) – Disciplinary action initiated – Inquiry – Charges proved – Inquiry Report Communicated – Explanation received – Imposition of a penalty of 10% Cut in monthly pension for five years - Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.431 **Dated:08.06.2022**

Read the following:

1. Charge memo proceedings No.E1/1044/2018, Dated.29.12.2018 of Deputy Inspector General of Registration & Stamps, Vizianagaram.
2. Explanation dated.10.01.2019, of Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavala, Srikakulam District (now retired).
3. Govt. Memo No.REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/39/2019-VIG-II, dt.19.06.2019.
4. Proceedings No.E1/1044/2018-1, Dated 30.07.2019 of Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vizianagaram.
5. Enquiry Report in C.No.E1/778/2019, dated:20.11.2019 of District Registrar, Vizianagaram.
6. Show Cause Notice No.E1/1044/2018, dated:9.12.2019 of DIG, R&S, Vizianagaram.
7. Representation of Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retd.) Dt. 08.01.2020.
8. Memo No.REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/39/2019-VIG-II Dated:06.07.2021.
9. Representation of Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retd.) Dt. 06.08.2021.
10. Govt.,Letter.No.REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/39/2019-VIG-II,Dated:16.03.2022.
11. From APPSC Lr.No.167/DC&C/2022, Dated 10-05-2022.

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O R D E R :

In the Charge Memo 1st read above, departmental proceedings have been initiated against Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District, by framing the following charges against Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District, by framing the following Articles of Charge:

CHARGE-I:

Smt.M.S.Sumabala, Sub-Registrar Grade-II at S.R.O., Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam Registration District present under suspension while working as Joint Sub-Registrar, S.R.O. Amadalavalasa has registered document No.2280/2016 without proper scrutiny and there by caused loss of Revenue of Rs.5,710/- to the state Ex-chequer, which was pointed out by the District Registrar, Srikakulam during the Annual Inspection of SRO, Amadalavalasa for the year 2016-17.

CHARGE-II:

Smt.M.S.Sumabala, Sub-Registrar Grade-II, R.O., Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam Registration District present under suspension while working as Joint Sub Registrar, S.R.O., Amadalavalasa has registered document Nos.2463/2018, 2566/2018, 1965/2018, 1966/2018, there by caused loss of Revenue of 1967/2018, 2140/2018 without proper scrutiny and Rs.44,403/- to state Ex-chequer, which was pointed out by the Sub Registrar (MV&A), Srikakulam during the Internal Audit. The details are as follows.

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CHARGE-III:

Smt.M.S.Sumabala, Sub-Registrar Grade-II, S.R.O., Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam Registration District present under suspension while working as Joint Sub-Registrar, S.R.O. Amadalavalasa registered the document 2447/2014 without proper scrutiny and there by caused loss of Revenue of Rs.19,241/- to the state Ex-chequer, which was pointed out in the LAR reports of the Accountant General for the year 2015-16.

CHARGE-IV:

Smt.M.S.Sumabala, Sub-Registrar Grade-II, S.R.O., Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam Registration District present under suspension while working as Joint Sub-Registrar, S.R.O., Palakonda has accepted Loan Mortgage Bond Nos.32/2010 to 83/2010 and 1/2011 to 4/2011 of SRO, Palakonda for filing without proper scrutiny and there by caused loss of Revenue of Rs.18,736/- to the state Ex-chequer, which was pointed out in the LAR reports of the Accountant General for the year 2015-16.

CHARGE-V:

Smt.M.S.Sumabala, Sub-Registrar Grade-II, S.R.O., Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam Registration District present under suspension while working as Joint Sub-Registrar, S.R.O., Amadalavalasa has failed to maintain the ledgers properly which resulted in excess of 115 Court fee labels of denomination of Rs.2/-, excess of 1 N.J stamp papers of denomination of Rs.100/- and excess of 2 notary stamps of denomination of Rs.5/- in violation of S.O.789 of Registration Manual (Part-II).

2. In the reference 2nd cited, the Charged Officer has submitted her written statement of defence and the Charged Officer had retired from service on 31-12-2018 on superannuation. In the Proceedings 4th read above, the District Registrar, Vizianagaram was appointed as Inquiry Authority to enquire into the charges framed against Smt M.Suma Bala, Sub Registrar Gr.II, SRO, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam.

3. In the letter 5th read above, the District Registrar, Vizianagaram has submitted enquiry report, holding that the charges I, II,III as not held proved and the Charges IV & V are held proved. In the Govt. Memo 6th read above, a copy of the enquiry report was communicated to the Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), for obtaining her representation, as required under Rule 21(2) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991. In reply, Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) has submitted her explanation through her representation 7th read above. After examining the entire matter, Government have proposed to impose a penalty of 10% cut in monthly pension for five (5) years against Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) and accordingly, a show cause notice was issuer to her, vide Govt. Memo 8th read above, directing her to submit her representation on the proposed penalty, as required under A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980. In reply, she, vide her representation 9th read above, has submitted her explanation.

4. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter, have provisionally decided to impose the penalty of 10% cut in monthly pension for five (5) years on Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) in this matter and accordingly, the concurrence from the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has been obtained, through their letter 11th read above.

5. Government, therefore, have decided to impose the penalty of 10% cut in monthly pension for five (5) years on Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), under Rule 9 of the Andhra

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Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, in this matter. Accordingly, Government hereby impose the penalty of 10% cut in monthly pension for five (5) years on Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavalasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, in this matter.

6. The Commissioner & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vijayawada / the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vizianagaram shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.RAJAT BHARGAVA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt.M.S.Sumabala, former Sub Registrar, Amadalavala, Srikakulam District (now retired) (through the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vizianagaram with a direction to serve the order on the individual and furnish the served copy with dated acknowledgement to Government for record).
The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vizianagaram.
Copy to:
The Commissioner & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Andhra Pradesh, Eedupugallu, Vijayawada.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Pay and Account Officer, C-Block, Anjaneya Towers, Ibrahimpatnam, Bhimaraju Gutta, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.
The District Treasury Officer, Srikakulam District.
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//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER